# LIBERALS TAKE TOWN OF COLON

Attack Unexpected and Successful.

PREFECT IS TAKEN PRISONER

The Commander of Attacking Force Was Killed, but the Second Officer Led His Small Force on to a Successful Issue After Fight of an Hour and a

COLON, COLOMBIA, via Galveston, Texas, Nov. 20 .- The Liberals made an unexpected attack on Colon at 8 o'clock last night. The government was not prepared, and there was little resistance. After some fighting in front of the Cuartel and in certain streets for an hour and a half, the Liberals gained possession of all the public offices and the town of

The Prefect, Guardia, is a prisoner. Gver tweleve men were killed and about thirty men were wounded.

On receipt of the news that General Alban, the military commander of the Isthmus, had started to attack the Lib-erals at Chorerra, near Panama, the latter detached 160 men under General Patipo to attack Colon. This force em-barked on board a train bound from Panama to Colon yesterday evening at Las Cascades Station, previously cutting off telegraphic communication across the 1sthmus. On arriving at the outskirts of Colon, where the government usually maintained a small guard, the Liberals left the train and in the initial skirmish. h began soon afterward, Patino was

The command of the Liberals then devolved on Colonel Frederico Barrere, and they continued their march on Colon, arriving there a few minutes after the

train, thus surprising the whole town.

The government troops at Colon were outnumbered by the Liberals. Fighting immediately began at the Cuartel bar-racks, which was soon taken. There Senor Jaen, a judge of the Criminal Court, was killed, and Sener Muskus, the district representative of the Department of the Interior, was mortally wounded. PRISONER'S TAKEN.

Fighting subsequently coccurred at the town hall, which was also taken by the Liberals. Among the prisoners captured by the Liberals there were the Prefect, Guardia, and the commandante of police. Senor Parades, the mayor, managed to reach the gunboat General Pinzon, which called last night for a destination unknown, probably Carthagena. The whole affair was over in less than

three hours.
Communication with Panama was restored to-day. This revealed that no fight-ing had occurred there, that everything was quiet and that the city was still in the hands of the Government. The issue now depends on the result of

the fighting, which is doubtless now occurring at Chorerra, news of which is anxiously awaited here. The Liberals are busy raising reinforce-

ments locally. They are reported to have several hundred men at different, railroad ons between here and Panama. MACHIAS LANDS MARINES.

At a conference between Commander McCrea, of the Machias, United States Consul Malmorse, Colonel Chamber, su-perintendent of the Panama Railroad, and olonel Barrera, the commander of the Liberals, the latter was informed why the marines had been landed from the Machias. Barrera promised to guard the city with his troops. Trains were running on the isthmus as usal to-day. There is

no obstruction of free transit so far.

The news of the capture of Colon, which reached Panama when communication with that city was restored to-day a great surprise to the inhabitants of that

## NEWS IS CONFIRMED.

This Country Will Maintain Free Transit Across the Isthmus.

(Br Associated Press )
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 20.—The confirmation of the reported capture of Colon by the Colombia Liberais caused a decided commotion in the State and Navy Departments to-day. There were long conferences between Secretary Long and Admiral Crowinshield and between the Admiral and acting Secretary of State Dr. Hill. Later the two last named went over to the White House and saw President Roosevelt.

The first news of the trcuble at Colon came from United States Consul-General Gudger, at Panama. He telegraphed the State Department that a considerable number of Liberals had taken passage on the railroad (he did not indicate where) and arriving at a certain point had cut the telegraph wires and taken up a rail, thus breaking communication.

Later there came a second message from

Consul-General Gudger announcing that Colon had been taken. This was con-Colon had been taken. This was con-firmed more explicitly by Uited States Consul Malmors, stationed at Colon. The latter official said that Colon was taken by the rebels last night.

While all business is suspended, transit is not interrupted, and American life and property are safe and not likely to be in

As a result of the consultation to-day Secretary Hill cabled Consul-General Gudger a direction to notify all parties who are engaged in molesting or inter-fering with free transit across the Isthmus that such interference must cease He also was directed to consult freely with Captain Perry, the commander of the United States battleship Iowa, now lying at Panama. Then Captain Perry was cabled by Secretary Long to land marines, if necessary, for the protection of free transit across the Isthmus in accordance with the treaty rights and obsame time Captain Perry was enjoined to

avert bloedsned if possible.

Meanwhile news came that Commander BicCrea, of the Machias, which is now lying at Colon, had anticipated this instruction from the Navy Department by landing a force of blue-jackets at Colon and occupying the rallway station. The understanding at the Navy Department was that the landing party consisted of about 100 sa.ors who are employed in lieu of marines, of whom the Machias has an insignificant force.

The text of Commander McCrea's dis-

patch is as follows:
"U. S. S. Machias, Colon, "November 20.
"Secretary of Navy, Washington: Ansurgents have possession of the city.

At the request of the proper authorities I have landed force for the property of the railroad. "M'CREA.".

A cablegram received from Captain

# BARGAINS.

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Eighth and Main.

General Gudger communicated to the State Department to-day. It does not appear that Captain Perry has yet landed a force.

## SUSPICION POINTS TO SCOTT'S SLAYER

(Continued from First Page.)

Sheriff Simon Solomon, of Henrico coun ty, and was reported immediately to De-tective Wrenn for investigation. This fight was at night, and it is said that in it Mr. Scott received a slight injury to the face. At the time of his death, however, there was no trace of such a mark as might have been left, Coroner Taylor stating this last night. He made a minute investigation and pronounced his belief that if any injury was inflicted

in this cifficulty it had healed and left no trace, being possibly very slight. Sheriff Solomon was seen last night. but refused to say anything at all about the fight. It had come to his attention, he said, and had been reported for investigation. He said he did not know just who the other man was, but that the man from whom he gained the informa-tion knew all about it. The name of this man he refused to give, referring the re-porter to Detective Wren for further details. Detective Wren could not be seen last night, but owing to the absolute rule of secrecy maintained by the police it is not believed that he would say

anything at all. The cause of this fight is not known It is thought, however, that it may have engendered a bitter feeling between Mr. Scott and the other man, and that this feeling might possibly have led up to the death of the former

JURY'S VERDICT EXPECTED. JURY'S VERDICT EXPECTED.

Testerday's verdict of murder by an unknown party or parties rendered by the coroner's jury was expected. Every material fact, which tended to how that murder was done, came from a woman, this being a singular feature of the case. Mrs. W. C. Preston, daughter of Major Myers, was the first to intimate that an other person was with Mr. Scott in front of the Myers home. She heard a voice or movement which apparently came from some other person. Mrs. Elizabeth H. Bowle established the fact before the jury that Mr. Scott had called for help, thus indicating an attack. Yesterday Mrs. Wm. L. Royall told of the altercation she had heard, thus fixing the murder theory, which had been held from the first, and was correlected. first. and was corroborated in every detail by Mrs. John Enders, who heard exactly the same altercation, although Mrs. Enders was of the opinion that there might have been more than two men in the altercation, owing to the great noise that was made.

The only witness examined yesterday

The only witness examined yesterday was Minnie Booker, the negro woman who heard, she says, two men running by the window of the Carrington home at Belvidere and West Grace Street, going toward Broad. This statement was not shaken, although it is generally believed that the men she heard were Policemen. Kroise and Hulcher, salper to licemen Krouse and Hulcher going to

the scene of the crime.
Winston Payne, head waiter in the Commonwealth Club, and William Beale, MACHIAS LANDS MARINES.

The United States gunboat Machias Janoed a detachment of marine here this morning. They are now guarding the railroad station and other property of the of the crime. He had spent no money, they said, had given no up, and, there-fore, according to the evidence of Mr. Stringfellow, given on the first day of the inquest must still have had the afty ent piece which had been given him in change. Mr. Zimmerman swore that he had seen Mr. Scott's watch in that gentleman's possession at 4 o'clock on afternoon of Wednesday, and that at that time Mr. Scott wore no chain, so that he might have had it on at the Club without any one being aware of it.

### INQUEST AND THE VERDICT.

Detailed Story of the Exemination of Witnesses and Result of the Post Mortem.

When the inquest began at ten o'clock vesterday morning another crowd was on hand with a fair sprinkling of members of the Commonwealth Club and intimate friends of Mr. Scott. No member of the Scott family was present, however. Five witnesses were examined.

The first witness was Winston Payne, head waiter at the Commonwealth Club. Ie said he saw Mr. Scott in the bar at he club as late as icn minutes to two o'clock, being absolutely positive on this point. He served two drinks to him, but said that when Mr. Scott left the room, he vas entirely able to take care of himself. It was to this man that Mr. Scott and said that his means had been refuced to one five cent p.ecc, as he had seen in a friendly game of dice. The hat Mr. Scott may have had, nor did no

we Mr. Scott's watch
Payne did not recall that Mr. Scott had ever had a quarrel with any one at the deceased had an enemy. Payne said Mr. Scott did not give him a tip that night, nor did he hear of any "tips" giv-

en to other waiters.
WAITER'S TESTIMONY. William Beale, another waiter at the Commonwealth Club, was next sworn. He saw Mr. Scott at the club on last Wednesday night as late as ten minutes to two o'clock. Mr. Scott passed the witness, who was sitting in a chair in the bar-room. Mr. Scott, the witness said, was in delicate health and walked a "little shaky" at all times. Beale did not think Mr. Scott was so much intox-cated that night that he could not take

care of himself. The witness did not see Mr. Scott handle any money, nor did he see a watch in the possession of the deceased.

MINNIE BOOKER TESTIFIES. Minnie Booker, who cooks for Mr. Car rington, at Belvidere and Frace Streets said that on the night Mr. Scott was kill ed she was awake about two or ten min-utes past 2 o'clock; she heard a scream like some one being murdered. Premy soon veices were heard and two men came by, running at full speed. One man said to the other, "Didn't we done it." The woman heard only one scream be-

#### A STARTLING SURPRISE. Very few civid believe in looking at

A. T. Heedley, a healthy, robust black-smith of Theen, Ind., that for ten years smith of Threu, Ind., that for ten years he suffered such tortures from Rhaumatism as few could endure and live. Fut a wenderful change followed his taking Electric Bitters. "Two bottles wholly curee ne," he writes, "and I have not felt a twinge in over a year," They egulate 't e Kleneys, purity the blood and cure Rhamatism, Neuralgia, Nervanesees, impryed diestion and give nercusuees, instricted digestion and give perfect health. Try them. Only 50 cents at wounds. Perry, at Panama, confirms what Consul Owens and Minor's Drug Company.

fore the men came running by. She was certain that the men were going toward Broad Street. She was in bed at the time, but could tell in which direction the men were going from the seven of their men were going from the sound of their

men were going from the sound of their footsteps. She got up and looked out of the window, but did not see the men.

EXACT LANGUAGE.

Minnie was closely questioned as to the exact language used by the men. She stuck to it that the words used were, "Didn't we done it," and not "Didn't we do it." The witness said she related what she

The witness said she related what she had heard to Mr. Carrington the next morning before she learned of the death of Mr. Scott. After hearing of the murder she repeated to Mrs. Carrington what she had overheard.

Minnie said it was, as well as she could calculate, about three minutes after she heard the scream until the men passed her house going toward Broad Street.

her house, going toward Broad Street. Mr. L. H. Zimmerman, who lives at

Belvidere and Broad Streets, testified that Mr. Scott was at Bennett's livery stable on the afternoon before he was killed, to order his horse to be ready for him to ge out to the Hunt Club. The witness saw Mr. Scott take his watch out, and heard him remark that it was then twenty minutes to 4 o'clock. There was no chain to the watch, which was a gold time-keeper. Mr. Scott had en his riding clothes at the time. MRS. ROYALL TESTIFIES.

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Then came the testimony of Mrs William L. Royall, who lives in West Franklin Street diagonally across the street from the Myers home. She stated that he was half awake on the night of the crime, when she heard a loud and vio-lent altercation in the street between two men. Both men (she said there might possibly have been three) were talking at the tops of their voices, but she could not make out any single word. It seemed to her that the men were violently angry. Mrs. Royall paid no particular attention to this controversy, as it was not uncommon for men to talk that way in going up the street late at night. Soon his discussion ceased and some five minutes later she heard a violent knocking. Her curiosity was aroused and she got n and looked out, but saw no one, A voice was feetly crying out: "Let me in; I am out in the cold."

When Mrs. Royall learned of the death of Mr. Scott she at once associated the incident in the street with the killing. It certainly was not more than live minutes between the altercation in the street and the hammering upon the door was heard.

CRIES WERE FEEBLE. Mrs. Royall said the voice when it cried out after the knocking began was

very feeble and sounded like that of a man in a dream. When she looked out of the window she could have seen any one on the sidewalk, but could not have seen any one in Major Myers' porch.

Mrs. Royall caused a laugh when she renearked during the examination that she was the daughter of a lawyer and the wife of a lawyer, and had been told to look out for the crystagestioning.

o look out for the cress-questioning. NOT A WORD INTELLIGIBLE. Mrs. Royall said it was impossible to distinguish a single word spoken during the altercation in the street; the discussion was a very angry one; she was un-

of white or colored people. The knocking upon the door was very violent.

Mrs. John Enders, who resides at No. 504 West Franklin Street, testified that about 2 o'clock she heard the violent altercation in the street. It was certainly between two men-and possibly more tetween two men—and possibly more. This altereation lasted possibly fifteen or twenty minutes. Then there was silence for about the space of five minutes, when she heard the knocking upon the door and the voice crying out "Let me in." The differention was apparently on Major

Myers' corner,
Mrs. Enders could not distinguish a word that was spoken during the alterca-tion. There was so much noise as to cause her to believe that more than two might have been engaged in the dispute Mrs. Enders did not go to the window when she heard the noise. EVIDENCE ALL IN.

This closed the taking of the evidence n the case. Coroner Taylor then read to the jury the result of the post mortem examination on the body of Mr. Scott, and the conclusions he had drawn from it. Here is the statement: "His heigh wast 5 feet 10 inches; girth at the chest, 30 inches; weight, about 120 to 125 pounds. He was thin, slim, delicate

and feeble-looking. There were no injuries except on the head and right hand. All the injuries are behind the cars, except a bruise near the right checkbone.

"L A cut through the upper part of the right ear, not quite horizontally, one inch long, cutting through the ear and rearly cutting off its upper part; the edges not clean-cut, but jagged. The cut is continnous with one in the scalp under it three-quarters of an inch long, and going through the scalp to the bone. The edges of this are cleaner cut than the car wound. A little back of the right cheek-bone begins a reddish bruise, and, con-tinuing with diminishing color towards the ear and in a line with it, but the bruise is chiefly a detached patch three-quarters of an inch in diameter. The whole length from the cut on the ear to the bruise is about three inches. This was

a severe but not a fatal wound THE OTHER WOUNDS.

"2. A vertical cut half an inch long merely through the skin, that is superficlai in a line with the right car, about one inch above the upper border of the ear and three and a half inches behind it, and

an inch and a quarter to the right of the middle line. It is very trivial. "2. A trivial superficial scalp wound. three inches above No. 2 and a half-inch to the right of the middle line. About one inch to the left of No. 3 and a half-inch to the left of the middle line, and a half-inch inch below No. 2, is a deep depression in the scalp about an inch in diameter and nearly or quite circular in shape. The scalp is bruised through its thickness,

but the bone beneath is uninjured.

"4. A contused out three inches to the left of the middle line, an inch and a half vert cally above the upper border of the left car, not quite vertical in direction, but extending from shove downwards and forwards, one inch long, ragged edges and slightly crescentic. Its upper three-fourths penstrates to the bone beneath. The skin is unbroken between the cut and the ear. There is a very slight abrasion on the upper border of the left ear. The ear is otherwise uninjured, except that the ear drum is broken. A depression of the love under No. 4 extended to it from directly above the left ear. Depression and No. 4 and the abrasion on the ear ere all from the same plow. The whole length from the abrasion to the end of No. 4 is three inches. No. 4 is the fatal blow. Under the depression was a fracture of the bone, ovai-shoped, three mehes long and an inch and a quarter wide at the widest part, broken through and depressed about a quarter of an inch on to the brain. The fractured piece was itself somewhat broken up. There was much clotted broken up. There was much clotted blood beneath the fracture. The scalp over the fracture was unbroken.

"There was a large contusion on the right hand, involving the skin of the last bint of the little finger, and the skin of half of the last joint of the third finger, and the skin of half of the back and inner border of the hand up to the wrist. There was no breaking of the skin, but there were two very small abrasions at the end of the last joint of "The nose was not broken nor otherwise

injured. There were no injuries in front except the bruise near the right checkbone. All of the others are on the ars or an parts behind them. The three im-portant injuries are No. 1, the depression near No. 3 and No. 4 and its accompany-

"In my opinion, the number situation

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and character of the injuries on the head

are not readily accounted for by the sup-position of accidental falls or contact

A QUICK VERDICT.

After half an hour's deliberation, the

jury returned the verdict as given be-low. It was stated that from the first

there had been little doubt in the mind

of the jurors that Mr. Scott had been murdered, and that the evidence fur-nished by the women, who had appeared

at the inquest, had absolutely proven this

fact to their satisfaction. Here is the

"An inquisition taken at the Retreat for

the Sign in the said city on the 14th day of November, 1901, before me, Dr. Vil-

liam H. Taylor, upon the view of the body of John W. Scott, there lying dead, the jurors sworn to enquire when, how and by what means the said John W. Cott

came to his death, upon their oath do say, that he came to his death on the 14th day of November, 1901, from injuries in-flicted upon his head on the morning of

the 14th day of November, 1901, by a weapon in the hands of a person and for a reason that the evidence they have ob-

tained doesn't enable them to discover

In testimony whereof the said coroner and jurors hereto set their hands and seals.

E. C. TAYLOR,
E. FRANCIS,
JOHN G. M'DOWELL,
C. R. MEADS,
J. J. POWELL.

Thus closes, for the present, in legal
channels at least, one of the most mysterious crimes Richmond has ever known,

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

Mainly About People

sophs, had an interesting meeting Tues-day night, at which three members were installed. A banquet and speeches fol-

The regular annual banquet of the Ban-

dolph Literary Society will be held at Murphy's Hotel to-night. A pleasant eve-

ning is anticipated, and a number of speeches will be made by the member.

of the society. Shelburne's Warehouse sold 7,200 pounds

of loose tobacco yesterday. The highest price was \$9.50. A meeting of the Acorn Club will be

held Monday evening in the house of Miss Agnes Schraudt, No. 1711 East Main

Miss Julia Lavino, of Germantown, Pa.

is visiting Miss Agnes McCarthy.

The services being conducted at the
Sacred Heart Church by the Paulist
Fathers are being largely attended, Rev.

Tather Sullivan preached Tuesday night und Rev. Father Hauley last night. The City Treasurer's office is busy col-lecting taxes due the State for the cur-

rent year now due. After November 30th a penalty of 5 per cent. will be added. Among the original pensions announced at Washington is one for \$6 a month for

James Sweeney, of Richmond. Other pen

sions in Virginia are Charles W. Parun Portsmouth, \$10, and Champ Carter, Alex

anoria, increased to \$12.

Mr. Eddie Quarles, who has been a patient at the Old Dominion Hespital for four months or more, was discharged yesterday. Mr. Quarles was critically its

for some time, but is now greatly im

Miss Emily Crump's condition is mos encouraging, and there is no longer any doubt but that she will recover rapidly

Mr. John Catrell, of Illinois, addressed a fair-sized audience of workingmen a Ellett's Hall Annex last night. Th

meeting was an open one for the work

Alleged K'dnapping Case.

A white man, who has refused to give his name, is confined in Hanover county

ja'l as a suspicious character. He wa

about the

going about the county bearing a small boy upon his back. It is though the child may have been kidnapped, but

the man claims him as his son. Efforts are being made to find the parents o.

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E. C. TAYLOR,

Richmond Daily Times.

DAUGHTERS OF REVOLUTION. Reception and Address by Judge R. T. W

water and let it stand twenty-four hours Duke. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)
UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, Nov. 20.—
The Albemarle Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, through the courtesy of the University authorities, gave a delightful reception in the library of the University to the State Conference now a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; if it stains the linen it is evidence of kidney trouble; too frequent desire to pass it, or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

University to the State Conference, now in session here.

The hostesses of the evening were Mrs. Thomas Barton Lyons, Regent of the Albemarle Chapter; Mrs. Hugh Nelson Page. State Regent of Virginia; Mrs. Albert H. Tuttle, vice-president general of Virginia; Mrs. Eleanor Washington Howard, recording secretary general, N. S. D. Q. R., Washington; Mrs. Francis Nash, N. S. D. A. E., Washington, who were assisted by the members of the Albemarle Chap-

Dr. Charles W. Kent, in behalf of the University, gave a very graceful address

matism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes. Dr. Kent then introduced Judge R. T. W. Duke, an honored alumnus of the University and a Son of the American Revolution, who made an address in his most felicitious vein. He paid a glowing tribute to the women of the Revolutionary imes and to the women of to-day, as the makers and preservers of the true American home. He then introduced to the audience a

"real" Daugater of the American Revolu-tion, Mrs. Thompson, a resident of Char-lottesville, whose father served in the American Revolution and whose only son lied in the Confederate service. He congratulated the Daughters of the Ameri-can Revolution upon the good works they had accomplished in Virginia in the pre-

had accomplished in Virginia in the pre-servation of valuable manuscripts and the marking of historic spots.

The chapter was honored in having present Dr. W. C. M. Randolph, the great-grandson of Thomas Jefferson, and a former rector of the Board of Visitors of the University of Virginia, besides de-scendants of the Washingtons, the Mar-shalls, the Lees and the Nelsons.

This morning the visiting delegates were given a drive to Monticello, which was with objects at the locality where the injuries were received, but are explained more reasonable by supposing that they resulted from the reported application of a weapon of some kind. The bruise on the right hand is reasonably explain-ed as the result of the persistent ham-mering on the door of Major Myers' residence."

given a drive to Monticello, which was conducted by Judge R. T. W. Duke and Mrs. J. Thompson Brown. This afternoon Mrs. Eleanor Washing-

ton Howard, recording secretary-general, discussed the general needs of the so-

Rogers-Cole.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

LEEEBURG, VA., Nov. 20.—The Methodist Church, at Round Hill, was the scene of a pretty wedding this morning, when Miss Ada Frances, daughter of Mrs. Mary C. Cole, became the bride of Mr. Henry Hamilton Rogers. The church was tastefully decorated for the occa-The church

The attendants were: Miss Emma Mary Cole, cousin of the bride, with Mr. J. Mil-ton Rogers, of Grafton, W. Va., brother of the groom; Miss Helen R. Badger, of Philadelphia, with Mr. J. Walter Cochran, of Middleburg; Miss Blanche Rogers, of Hamilton, with Mr. James M. Cole; Miss Rachel M. Cole, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and preceded her sis-ter. Mr. Gustavus L. Hutchison, of Manassas, was best man. Rev. C. T. Herndon performed the cere-

Mr. and Mrs. Rogers left on the noon

train for several weeks' visit South. Crocks-Barlow.

(Special Dispatch to The Times,)

WILLIAMSBURG, VA., Nov. 29.—Miss Mary Ann Barlow, of Williamsburg, and Mr. W. M. Crooks, of Yorktown, were quietly married at the home of the bride this afternoon at half-past three o'c by Rev. J. W. Crooks,s father of (Special Dispatch to the Times.)

ROANOKE, VA.. November 20.—

The residence of Mr and Mrs. W. A. Carpenter. No. 17 Highland Avenue. S. E., was the scene at high noon to-day of an interesting ceremony. It was the marriage of Miss Irma M., second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter, and Mr. Simon M. Lawrence, of Suffolk, deputy clerk of the Nansemond County Court.

The marriage was a quiet affair, attended only by relatives of the contracting parties and a few intimate friends. Rev. W. H. D. Harper, D. D., pastor of Greene Memorial Church, officiated, using the Episcopal ceremony.

Mr. Hinton Hargrove, of Suffolk, was best man and Miss Mayo Carpenter, sister of the bride, maid of honor. The ush-rs were Messrs. J. Clark, Walter A. and Courtney S. Carpenter, brothers of the bride and Jno. D. Booker. Mend-issohn's wedding march was rend-red on the organ by Mrs. John Snyder. An elegant lunchcon followed the ceremony, after which the couple left for their future home.

The bride is a pretty and attractive daughter of Mr. R. G. Barlow, of this

The groom is a popular young insurance agent of Yorktown, the son of Rev. J. W. Crooks, of Yorktown, and the brother of Mrs. Judge Sidney Smith, of Williamsburg.

> Whaley-Mankin. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

LEESBURG, VA., Nov. 20.—A pretty, out quiet, wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. B. A. Mankin in Herndon his afternoon at five o'clock, when his youngest daughter, Miss Cecil, was united in marriage to Mr. C. O. Whaley, of Stering. Rev. John McCab, of the Episco-pal Church, performed the ceremony, which was witnessed only by a few friends and relatives from a distance.

Badly Crushed. (Special Dispatch to The Times.) CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., Nov. 20.-

Coroner Taylor will hold an inquest at his office this morning at 19 o'clock over e team of J. W Edward's ley's, became trightened by the flight of the remains of Mrs. Mary Ann Burnett, who died Tuesday morning from injuries a flock of guineas across the roaway to-day. Edwards fell under the wheels, sustained in being knocked down by a and was badly crushed.

Fire at Crewe.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

CREWE, VA. Nov. 20—Special.—Last night about 12 o'clock, fire broke out in the office of the Crewe Printing Works completely guttering the building and badly damaging several buildings adjacent thereto. The estimated damage is as follows: type and machinery, owned by the Crewe Printing Works, \$2,500; damage to building, \$1,500; Olivers' store building and stock, \$1,500; C. E. Downs' store studiding and stock \$1,000; H. Comings' store and stock, damaged by water and moke, \$500; J. N. Parker, tailor, stock tamaged by water and smoke to the extent of about \$100.

New Recruiting O'ficers. Captain Albert Laws has been succeeded t the recruiting station of this city by aptain T. B. Dugan, who has removed

his residence here. Captain Dugan was in command of the Seventh Cavalry, and spent two years in Cuba. Captain Albert Laws has gone to the Columbus barracks, and will join this regiment in the Philippines.

Slight Wreck on Seaboard.

Three men were slightly injured and everal cars and an engine damaged in read end collision on the Seaboard Air lailway north of the city on Tuesday afernoon. Engine 576, which was in the middle of a string of cars, ran into a ne of empty cars smashing the cars nd part of the engine. The crew of the ngine jumped and thus saved their lives onductor Keaton was injured by being truck in the stomach by the edge of the

MARRIAGE AT FORD'S.

bsence of Expected Brother Did Not Disturb Plans.

Mr. Wilson White, of Munder, and Miss Patsey Hatcher Ballou, of Hallfax coun-y, were married last night in the par-ors of New Ford's Hotel.

The couple came to Richmond expecting o meet a brother of Mrs. White, who travis for a Northern firm, and expecting to aske this point to-day, had requested that hey meet him here and be married during his stay in the city. A change in the rother's plans prevented his coming to Virginia, and the ceremony was performance of the companion of the d before a few invited guests of the hotel. The ceremony was performed by Rev. L. P. Christie, of Winasor. Miss nnie Ballou, a sister of the bride, was

the from Halifax.

Mr. White is a member of the firm of J. M. White & Co., Munder, Va. Stephen Brodnax, a colored brakeman

prained his ankle last night at 10:10 clock at the Chesapeake and Ohio crossing at Brown Street. He was treated by the ambulance surgeon and left.

# POLITICAL TALK AND POLITICIANS

Major Barclay to Oppose Colonel Harman for State

Treasurer.

There will be warm fights in some of the Circuit Court districts before the coming Legislature. One of the most spirited promises to be in the Sixteenth Circuit between the incumbent, Judge J. P. Sheffey, of Marion, and ex-Judge F. B. Hutton, of Abingdon. Both gentlemen have strong backing, and will, it is said, go into the caucus with able leaders behind them. Judge Sheffey is the present incumbent and has served for some years with marked ability, while Judge Hutton ranks as one of the ablest lawyers in Southwest Virginia. Friends of Judge G. Taylor Garnett, of Mathews, are urging him to enter the fight against Judge T. R. B. Wright, of the Tappahannock cir-

Major E. H. Barclay, editor of the Lexington Gazette and member of the last House of Delegites, has issued a circular letter to his friends, announcing himself a candidate for State Treasurer. In the letter he says: "Some of my fellew Democrats in the General Assembly of 1899-1900, of which I was an humble member, have requested me to allow them to present my name to the Demo-eratic caucus , for the office of Treasurer of the State of Virginia. Mr. A. W. Har man, who has held the office for sixteen years, and myself will be the candidates.

Senator Graham Claytor, of Bedford, s in the city and is registered at Murphy's. Senator Claytor is of the opinion that there should be no conflict between the Legislature and the Constitutional Convention, as to the meeting of the for-mer body next month. He is also of pinion that there will be none. He thinks as apparently most of his colleagues do, that the Legislature should do the business that may appear to be imperative and then give the convention the right of way until the new Constitution is completed

Capt. Seth F. Miller, of Mathews secretary of the State Board of Fisheries, is in the city, to look after some matters in connection with the annual report of the board " or Miller has made a very efficient officer, and is a candidate for reappointment at the hands of Governor-elect Montague. He has no opposition, that he knows of, so far, and it may be that he will have none.

#### SERVIAN QUEEN.

It is Reported That She Has Been Assassi. nated in Street of Belgrade.

(By Associated Press.)
VIENNA, Nov. 20.—A report has reached Vienna that Queen Draga has been shot at in the streets of Belgrade.
The Neu Freie Press and other Vienna papers publish various rumors, one declaring that the Servian Queen was assassinated, another, that shows a service of the street sinated, another that she was wounded and a third that she committed suicide. Reports from other sources deny the statement that Queen Draga was killed. and assert that Queen Braga was kneed, and assert that the rumor of her death was caused by the hysterical scene with King Alexander. There is no reliable in-formation on the subject here, but it is generally believed that a serious crisis exists in Belgrade

Shot His Own Head Off.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)
MARTINSVILLE, VA., November 20. MARTINSVILLE, VA.. November 29.—
Mr. W. - P. Fry, son of Mr. David
cial.—Mr. W. P. Fry, son of Mr. David
Fry, of this county, killed himself yes
terday by putting a shot-gun to the side
of his head and discharging it. The
load blew off the entire side of his head.
Mr. Fry attempted self-murder a few
days ago by poisoning with laudanum
but the doctors gave him an antidote and
saved him.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Caroline M. Heald.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) LYNCELIZ RG, VA., No/comber 20.-Mrs. Carcine M.- Heald, widow o Edward Heald, of Port Deposit, Ma. died early this morning at the home of her son, Mr. Charles E. Heald, in this city. Mrs. Heald came here a week ago, from Washington, D. C., where she at tended a family reunion on the occasion of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the marriage of her son, Mr. J. Creswell Heald. The cause of death was heart

failure. Mrs. Heald was a daughter of John A. J. Creswell, who was postmaster-general under Grant's administration. Sh was a sister-in-law of the late John H. Heald, of Baltimore, the founder of the widely-known and prosperous bark extract of John H. Heald & Company, of Lynchburg. Besides the two sons men-tioned, she is survived by a third son. Mr. William Heald, of Atlantic City. Mrs. Heald's remains will be taken to Baltimore for interment in Greenmount Cemetery.

Seth M. Whaley.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) NORFLOK, VA., Nov. 20.-Mr. Seth M. Whaley, a native of Whaleyville, Md., lies dead at his home in Park View, Portsmouth. He was some 79 years of age, and was long a leading manufac-turer of lumber in Maryland and Vir-

He founded the town of Whaleyville, but recently moved to Portsmouth. His family are prominent in society and in business hereabouts.

L. L. Bullock. (Special Dispatch to The Times,)

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., Nov. 20.— Mr. L. L. Bullock, a well-known citizen of Stafford county, died last night at his home, near Falmouth, aged forty years. A wife and two daughters survive him. Joseph Sizer

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(Special Uspatch to The Times.)

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., Nov. 29.—
Joseph Sizer, son of Mr. Charles Sizer, dropped dead while walking near his beare in Charles and the control of the charles home, in Orange county, aged twenty vears.

DEATHS.

BURNETT.—Died, at her late residence, No. 896 West Main Street, Tuesday, No-vember 19, 1991, at 5:29 o'clock A. M., Mrs. M. A. BURNETT, relict of the late W. W. Burnett. Funeral from Pine-Street Baptist Church THURSDAY EVENING, at 2:39 colock, Friends and acquaintences re-

o'clock Friends and acquaintances re-spectfully invited to attend. One precious to our hearts has gone, voice we loved is stilled The place made vacant in our home Can never more be filled.

Our Father is his wisdom called The boon his live had given; And though on earth the body lies, The soul is safe in Heaven. resent, having accompanied the couple

SOUTHALL.—Died, yesterday, at 2 P. M., at the home of her son, Mr. John H. Southall, No. 314 East Byrd Street, Mrs. P. T. SOUTHALL, in the eighty-sixth year of her age. Funeral services from the house at 3 P. M. TO-DAY. Interment private,

## Condensed Schidue.

CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO RAIL-WAY-Leave-9 A. M., local for Norfolk, &c.; 3:45 P. M., Newport News, Norfolk, &c.; 3:45 P. M., daily, except Sunday, limited; 10:10 A. M., local train daily to Charlottesville, and except Sunday, to Clifton Forge; 2:45 P. M., daily, for Clincinnati, Leuisville, St. Louis and the West; 5:20 P. M., except Sunday, lacommodation for Doswell; 10:30 P. M., the F. F. V., daily, for Cincinnati and Louisville; 10:30 A. M., from Eighth-Street Station, daily for Lynchburg, Lexington and Clifton Forge, connects, except Sunday, with Buckingham and Alberene branches; 5:15 P. M., except Sunday, from Cincinnati; S. A. M., except Sunday, from Doswell; 12:40 P. M., except Sunday, from Doswell; 12:40 P. M., except Sunday, from Doswell; 12:40 P. M., and 7:20 P. M., daily from Cincinnati; S. A. M., except Sunday, from Ontolok; S. 15 P. M., local, except Sunday, from Cincinnati, S. A. M., and T. 20 P. M., daily from Cincinnati, S. A. M., except Sunday, from Cincinnati, S. A. M., except Sunday, from Cincinnati, S. P. M., daily from Cincinnati, S. P.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY-Leave-9:20 A. M., daily for Durham, &c., connecting at Burkeville for Farmville, Lynchburg, &c.; 12:01 P. M., daily for Charlotte, N. C., New Orleans and points South; 6 P. at Burkeville for Farmville, Lynchourg. &c.; 12:01 P. M., dally for Charlotte. N. C., New Orleans and points South; 6 P. M., local, daily except Sunday, to Kevaville; 11:30 P. M., dally for Atlanta, Augusta and points South.

Arrive Richmond-6 A. M. and 6:40 P. M., from Atlanta, Augusta, Asheville and all points South; \$4:40 A. M., from Keysville and local stations; 3:12 P. M., from Durham, Oxford and intermediate stations. Local Freight Trains-Nos, 61 and 62, between Manchester and Neapolis. YORK RIVER LINE-Leave-4:30 P. M., daily, except Sunday, for West Point, connecting with steamer for Ballylnore Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays; 2:30 P. M., daily, except Sunday, local - press for West Point; connects with stage at Lester Manor, and also with steamer at West Point for Baltimore; 5 A. M., local mixed for West Point daily, except Sunday.

Arrive Richmond-9:15 A. M., daily,

NORFOLK AND WESTERN-Leave-9 A. M., daily, vestibute limited to Norfolk; 9:00 A. M., daily, the Chicago Express. Bristol, Chattanooga and points South and West; 3:15 P. M., daily, Norfolk, etc.; 6:57 P. M., daily for Norfolk and intermediate points; 9:10 P. M., daily for Lynchburg Chattanooga and New Orleans.

Arrive Richmond-From Lynchburg and the West, daily at 7:35 A. M. and 8:56 P. M.; from Norfolk and the East at 11:10 A. M., 11:42 A. M. and 6:50 P. M.

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RI CH MOND, FREDERICKSBURG
AND POTOMAC RAILROAD—Leave—
5:50 A. M. daily, through train for WashIngton: 8:20 A. M. Sundays, and 8:50 A.
M. other days, Washington and intermediate points; 12 M., except Sundays,
and 7:42 P. M. daily, for Washington
and Intermediate points; Fredericksburg
accommodation, daily, except Sunday 4
P. M. Ashland train leaves Elba at 7:15
A. M. and 6:30 P. M., except Sundays,
Leave Broad-Street Station (Chesapeake
and Ohlo), 6:40 A. M. and 3:35 P. M.,
daily, for Washington and points North,
Arrive Byrd-Street Station—8:30 A. M.,
daily; 12:54 P. m., daily, except Sunday;
2:42 P. M. daily, 6:37 P. M. daily; 8:40 P.
M., daily, Arrive Elba—From Ashland,
6:40 A. M. and 5:52 P. M.; Byrd-Street
Station tom Fredericksburg, 8:25 A. M.

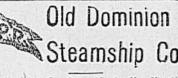
ATLANTIC COAST LINE—Leave—9 A.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE—Leave—9 A. M., daily for Petersburg and Norfolk; 9:05 A. M., daily for Petersburg, Jackschwille and points South; 11:55 A. M., daily, except Sunday, for Petersburg; 3:15 P. M., daily for Norfolk, etc., and 5:57 P. M., daily, Petersburg local; 4:30 P. M., daily, except Sunday, for Petersburg, Weidon, etc.; 6:57 P. M., daily for points South, connects at Petersburg with Norfolk and Western for Norfolk, etc.; 9:16 P. M., daily for Petersburg, Lynchburg, Roanoke, etc.; 11:30 P. M., daily for Petersburg.

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Arrive Richmond—3:20 A. M. dally from Jacksonville, Savannah, Charleston, Atlanta, Macon, Augusta and all points South; 7:35 A. M. dally from Petersburg, Lynchburg and the West; 8:45 A. M. dally, except Sunday, Petersburg Ical; 11:10 A. M., dally, except Sunday, from Goldsboro and intermediate stations, Norfolk and Suffolk; 11:42 A. M., dally from Norfolk, Suffolk and Petersburg; 11:96 A. M. Sunday only, from Norfolk, Suffolk and Petersburg; 7:22 P. M. dally, from Metersburg; 7:22 P. M. dally from Mindington Goldsboro and all points South; 6:30 P. M., dally from Petersburg; 8:56 P. M., dally from Petersburg; 8:56 P. M., dally from Petersburg; Lynchburg and the West.

SEARGARD AIR LINE—Leave Broad-



FROM RICHMOND PASSENGERS can leave DAILY, except Sunday, by Chesapeake and Ohio Railway at 9 A.M. via Norfolk or 9 A. M. and 3.15

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SEABOARD AIR LINE—(Leave Broad-Sirest Station).—9:30 A. M., daily for Setersburg, Henderson, etc., and all points South and Southwest: C:40 P. M., daily for Petersburg, Raleith, Columbia, Savannah and all Florida points: 10:40 P. M., daily for points South and South-west; 6:40 A. M. and 3:35 P. M., for Washington, New York and the East. Arrive S. A. L. Broad-Street Station— 2:35 P. M., daily from Washington and the North: 10:30 P. M., daily from Washington and

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